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To: Jordan, Ronald [Jordan.Ronald@epa.gov]
CC: Frank, Stephen [Stephen.Frank@genon.com]
Subject: Conemaugh Station - US EPA WWT system visit 10-31-2017 - draft meeting notes for review
Attachments: CON_US EPA WWT system visit 10-31-2017 - draft meeting notes - transmittal letter_02-06-2019.pdf

Greetings Mr. Jordan,

Conemaugh Station is in receipt of the subject draft meeting notes; the notes were documented to a Word file that was saved to a DVD that accompanied your submittal to us. Comments and suggested changes to those notes from Conemaugh Station / GenOn have been compiled and saved using the Track Changes mode. The Word file with the comments and suggested changes was saved to the above-mentioned DVD. You should expect to receive our response via express mail service within the next few days. Please do not hesitate to contact either Steve Frank (copied herein) or me with any questions or concerns about our response – John.



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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF WATER

February 6, 2019

John Shimshock
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Dear Mr. Shimshock,

Representatives of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) visited NRG Energy's Conemaugh Generating Station on October 31, 2017 to gather information on the treatment of flue gas desulfurization wastewater and handling of bottom ash transport water. I am enclosing draft notes and associated attachments summarizing information compiled by EPA during the visit. Please review the draft notes to ensure we have accurately described the information shared with EPA. Note that we have included some outstanding questions to you embedded and highlighted in the text of the draft site visit notes.

In addition, please review the notes to determine whether Conemaugh Generating Station considers any of the information to be confidential business information. Although it's in the public's interest to have as much of this information available in the public record as possible, we understand you may consider some data to be confidential business information (CBI). If you wish to make a confidentiality claim, please specify which portions of the notes you consider confidential. Any information contained in these notes that is not specifically identified as subject to a confidentiality claim will be disclosed to the public without further notice.

EPA requests that you provide comments on the draft site visit notes by March 29, 2019. Following receipt of your comments, EPA will finalize the notes for inclusion in the record for the steam electric effluent guidelines. If comments are not received by this date, EPA will assume that the notes are accurate as written and that there are no CBI concerns regarding the information included in the notes.

You can send comments on the draft notes to me via email (if not CBI) at jordan.ronald@epa.gov, or by mail to:

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Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about the draft site visit notes.

Sincerely,



Ronald Jordan

Engineering and Analysis Division

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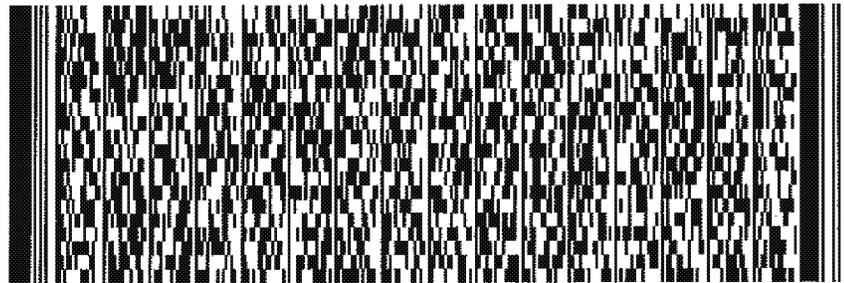
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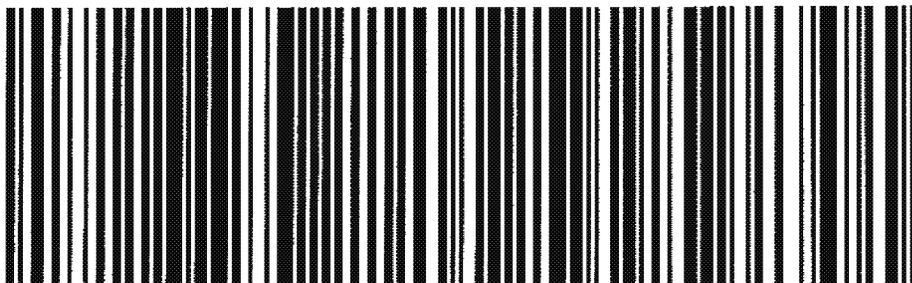
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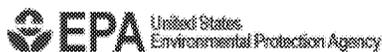
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From: Jordan, Ronald <Jordan.Ronald@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, February 05, 2019 8:37 AM
To: Frank, Stephen <Stephen.Frank@genon.com>
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Good morning,

Please send me your mailing address when you get a chance. We're hoping to send out draft site visit notes for Conemaugh soon.

Thanks!
Ron



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Message

From: Frank, Stephen [Stephen.Frank@genon.com]
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To: Jordan, Ronald [Jordan.Ronald@epa.gov]
Subject: ELG Rule Status

Hi Ron,

As mentioned in my voice mail, I was hoping to get an update on the status of the ELG rule updates. In addition, I wanted to give you an update on the status of the company.

GenOn Energy, Inc. emerged from bankruptcy on December 14, 2018. As part of the restructuring, GenOn Energy is now "GenOn Holdings, Inc." and has transitioned away from NRG Energy, Inc. We continue to own/operate several coal-fired power plants: Chalk Point, Dickerson, and Morgantown in Maryland and Keystone, Conemaugh, and Cheswick in Pennsylvania. Lastly, GenOn is no longer a member of UWAG.

If you can spare a few minutes, I would appreciate having a brief discussion with you regarding the rule status.

Regards, Steve



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To: Frank, Stephen [Stephen.Frank@genon.com]
Subject: RE: ELG Rulemaking Update

Good morning,

Our schedule is constantly in flux so I really can't confirm that proposal will be in June, but that is the general timeframe we are anticipating. We haven't heard anything about the letter; apparently it's being handled somewhere higher in the agency.

Ron

From: Frank, Stephen <Stephen.Frank@genon.com>
Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2019 4:06 PM
To: Jordan, Ronald <Jordan.Ronald@epa.gov>
Subject: ELG Rulemaking Update

Hi Ron,

Thanks for speaking with me on April 2nd. You mentioned on our call that the target for issuing the proposed ELG Reconsideration Rule was June 2019, correct? Also, have you heard back from you supervisor regarding a possible response to our February 26th letter to Acting Administrator Wheeler?

Regards, Steve



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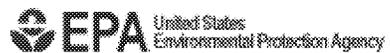
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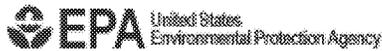
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